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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

SERIAL NO.	: 09/869,508
APPLICANT	: WOLFF et al.,
FILED	: June 5, 2002
EXAMINER	: Dave Trong N'Guyen
ART UNIT	: 1632
FOR	: GENE TRANSFER VECTOR FOR THE DIAGNOSIS AND THERAPY OF MALIGN TUMORS

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

30 December 2003

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))**

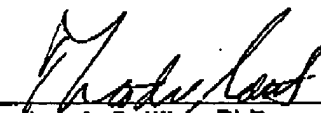
1. This is a petition to extend the period of time one (3) month for filing a response to the Office Action dated 30 June 2003.

2. Applicant is: **SMALL ENTITY**

<u>EXTENSION (MONTHS)</u>	<u>FEE FOR LARGE ENTITY</u>	<u>FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY</u>
One month <input type="checkbox"/>	\$110	\$55
Two months <input type="checkbox"/>	\$420	\$210
Three months <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	\$950	\$475
Four months <input type="checkbox"/>	\$1,480	\$740
Five months <input type="checkbox"/>	\$2,010	\$1,005
<b>TOTAL FEE \$475.00</b>		

4. Charge the petition fee to Deposit Account No. 14-1263 and for any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid. A duplicate of this petition is attached.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
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